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2018 Quarterly Listings; Safety Zones, Security Zones, Special Local Regulations, Drawbridge Operation Regulations and Regulated Navigation Areas

AGENCY: Coast Guard, DHS.

ACTION: Notification of expired temporary rules issued.

SUMMARY: This document provides notification of substantive rules issued by the Coast Guard that were made temporarily effective but expired before they could be published in the Federal Register. This document lists temporary safety zones, security zones, special local regulations, drawbridge operation regulations and regulated navigation areas, all of limited duration and for which timely publication in the Federal Register was not possible.

DATES: This document lists temporary Coast Guard rules that became effective, primarily during the period between April 2018 and June 2018, unless otherwise indicated, and were terminated before they could be published in the <u>Federal Register</u>.

ADDRESSES: Temporary rules listed in this document may be viewed online, under their respective docket numbers, using the Federal eRulemaking Portal at http://www.regulations.gov. FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: For questions on this document contact Yeoman First Class David Hager, Office of Regulations and Administrative Law, telephone (202) 372-3862.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Coast Guard District Commanders and Captains of the Port (COTP) must be immediately responsive to the safety and security needs within their jurisdiction; therefore, District Commanders and COTPs have been delegated the authority to issue certain local regulations. <u>Safety zones</u> may be established for safety or environmental

purposes. A safety zone may be stationary and described by fixed limits or it may be described as a zone around a vessel in motion. Security zones limit access to prevent injury or damage to vessels, ports, or waterfront facilities. Special local regulations are issued to enhance the safety of participants and spectators at regattas and other marine events. Drawbridge operation regulations authorize changes to drawbridge schedules to accommodate bridge repairs, seasonal vessel traffic, and local public events. Regulated Navigation Areas are water areas within a defined boundary for which regulations for vessels navigating within the area have been established by the regional Coast Guard District Commander.

Timely publication of these rules in the Federal Register may be precluded when a rule responds to an emergency, or when an event occurs without sufficient advance notice. The affected public is, however, often informed of these rules through Local Notices to Mariners, press releases, and other means. Moreover, actual notification is provided by Coast Guard patrol vessels enforcing the restrictions imposed by the rule. Because Federal Register publication was not possible before the end of the effective period, mariners were personally notified of the contents of these safety zones, security zones, special local regulations, regulated navigation areas or drawbridge operation regulations by Coast Guard officials on-scene prior to any enforcement action. However, the Coast Guard, by law, must publish in the Federal Register notice of substantive rules adopted. To meet this obligation without imposing undue expense on the public, the Coast Guard periodically publishes a list of these temporary safety zones, security zones, special local regulations, regulated navigation areas and drawbridge operation regulations. Permanent rules are not included in this list because they are published in their entirety in the Federal Register. Temporary rules are also published in their entirety if sufficient time is available to do so before they are placed in effect or terminated.

The following unpublished rules were temporarily in effect during the period between April 2018 and June 2018, unless otherwise indicated. To view copies of these rules, visit www.regulations.gov and search by the docket number indicated in the following table.

Docket			
Number	Type	Location	Effective date
USCG-2017-1014	Safety Zones	Tumon, GU	12/31/2017
USCG-2018-0069	Safety Zones	Chicago, IL	3/5/2018
USCG-2018-0162	Safety Zones	Chicago, IL	3/10/2018
USCG-2017-0965	Safety Zones	Fear River, NC	4/1/2018
USCG-2018-0217	Safety Zones	Galveston, TX	4/4/2018
USCG-2018-0161	Safety Zones	Channohon, IL	4/6/2018
USCG-2018-0032	Safety Zones	Charleston, SC	4/7/2018
USGC-2018-0230	Safety Zones	Tanapag Harbor, Saipan	4/7/2018
USCG-2018-0249	Safety Zones	Long Beach, NY	4/7/2018
USCG-2018-0015	Safety Zones	Tuscaloosa, AL	4/12/2018
USCG-2018-0056	Safety Zones	Charleston, SC	4/12/2018
USCG-2018-0231	Safety Zones	Corpus Christi, TX	4/14/2018
USCG-2018-0306	Safety Zones	Marinette, WI	4/14/2018
USCG-2018-0344	Security Zones	Palm Beach, FL	4/15/2018
USCG-2018-0357	Safety Zones	Marinette, WI	4/17/2018
USCG-2018-0076	Safety Zones	Cairo, IL	4/19/2018
USCG-2017-1076	Special Local Regulations	Miami, FL	4/22/2018
USCG-2018-0081	Safety Zones	Myrtle Beach, SC	4/22/2018
USCG-2018-0255	Special Local Regulations	Key West, FL	4/27/2018
USCG-2018-0256	Safety Zones	Key West, FL	4/28/2018
USCG-2018-0375	Safety Zones	Piti, GU	5/1/2018
USCG-2018-0124	Special Local Regulations	Harford, MD	5/5/2018
USCG-2018-0377	Safety Zones	Parish, LA	5/6/2018
USCG-2018-0334	Safety Zones	New Orleans, LA	5/7/2018
USCG-2018-0215	Safety Zones	Washington, DC	5/10/2018
USCG-2018-0374	Safety Zones	Apra Outer Harbor, GU	5/15/2018
USCG-2018-0417	Safety Zones	Vieques, Puerto Rico	5/18/2018
USCG-2018-0093	Special Local Regulations	Cambridge, MD	5/20/2018
USCG-2018-0210	Safety Zones	Cocoa Beach, FL	5/20/2018
USCG-2018-0351	Safety Zones	Tampa, FL	5/22/2018
USCG-2018-0474	Security Zones	New London, CT	5/23/2018
USCG-2017-1078	Safety Zones	Calcaieu Parish, LA	5/25/2018
USCG-2012-1036	Special Local Regulations	Sector Long Island	5/25/2018
USCG-2018-0462	Special Local Regulations	Miami, FL	5/25/2018
USCG-2018-0381	Safety Zones	Alexandria Bay, NY	5/26/2018
USCG-2018-0510	Safety Zones	Lake Huron	5/30/2018
USCG-2018-0482	Safety Zones	Seattle, WA	5/30/2018
USCG-2018-0222	Safety Zones	Jacksonville, FL	6/1/2018

USCG-2018-0358	Special Local Regulations	New London, CT	6/9/2018
USCG-2016-0509	Security Zones	North Shore, Guam	6/12/2018
USCG-2018-0373	Safety Zones	Philadelphia, PA	6/13/2018
USCG-2018-0027	Safety Zones	Inlet, WA	6/14/2018
USCG-2018-0314	Special Local Regulations	St. Petersburg, FL	6/15/2018
USCG-2018-0554	Drawbridges	Sacramento, CA	6/16/2018
USCG-2018-0570	Safety Zones	Chester, WV	6/16/2018
USCG-2018-0557	Safety Zones	Newburg, MD	6/16/2018
USCG-2018-0595	Safety Zones	Superior, WI	6/17/2018
USCG-2018-0589	Safety Zones	Mobile, AL	6/19/2018
USCG-2018-0296	Special Local Regulations	Ocean City, MD	6/23/2018
USCG-2018-0174	Safety Zones	Seattle, Washington	6/26/2018
USCG-2018-0367	Safety Zones	Philadelphia, PA	6/30/2018

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